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FIFTH PROVINCIAL PARLIAMENT.

The Opening Proceedings—His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor's Speech—New Members Introduced—The Premier Warmly Received by Both Sides of the House.

THIRD SESSION.

At 3 p. m. yesterday the third session of the fifth Parliament of British Columbia was formally opened by His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Nelson.

A slow drizzling rain somewhat lessened the attendance at the opening of the session, but, despite the unpleasant weather, however, there were a goodly number present, both in the galleries and on the floor of the House to listen to the speech from the throne and witness the opening ceremonies.

Seats were reserved on the floor of the house for the following: Chief Justice Begbie, Justice Crease, Justice Gray, Justice Walkem, Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge, Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, Rev. P. McF. Macleod, Rev. Donald Fraser, Rev. Donald Fraser, Rev. Father VanNevel, Hon. Judge O'Reilly, U. S. Consul Stevens and Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Pooley, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. Duck, Mr. and Mrs. Dickenson, Mrs. J. H. Turner, Mrs. Croft, the Misses Dunsmuir, Lady Hoste, Mrs. I. B. Nason, Miss Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Rithet, the Misses Talmie, Capt. and Mrs. Snowden, Mr. and Mrs. Beckwith, Mrs. Heisterman, Mr. James Fell, Mr. Edwin Johnson, Miss Hughes, Mr. Thos. E. Ladher, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Angus, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Young, Miss Dickenson, Miss Armstrong, Mrs. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Hunter, Mrs Longworth, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Skinner, Mrs. Hammond, Miss Renton, Miss Sorby, Miss Carmichael, Mrs. House, Mrs. Caldwell, Miss Barron, Miss Agnes Cameron, Miss Boscowitz, Mrs. Neufelder, Mrs. Moody, Mrs. John C. Davie, Mrs. Nuttall, Miss King, Miss Powell, Mrs. Morley, Miss Gosnell, Miss Story, Miss Carmichael, Miss Keast, Miss Angus, Miss Wynne, Mrs. and Miss Kelly, Rev. Mr. Rugg, Rev. Dr. Reid, Col. Wolfenden, Mrs. Stannard, Mrs. Jno. Irving, Miss Monro, Mrs. J. H. Todd, and the Misses Wigley, Mrs. A. A. Green, Mrs. J. W. Sinclair, Mrs. R. J. Skinner, Mrs. A. E. B. Davie, Miss Bunting, Mrs. T. B. Humphreys and the Misses Humphreys, Mrs. Jno. Robson, Mrs. Boscowitz, Miss Place, Miss Logan, Mrs. Geo. Jones, Miss Densdale, Miss Baker, Miss Rogers, Mrs. S. Burt, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Swengers, Mrs. and Miss Jesse, Mrs. Abel, Mrs. Dobbenson, Mrs. Wm. Wilson, Mrs. and Miss Jorand, Miss Wolfenden, Mrs. Renouf, Mrs. R. Munro, Miss Clayton, W. Fortune and many others. The galleries were also crowded, and many were compelled to put up with standing room.

A few minutes before three o'clock His Honor Lieut.-Governor Nelson emerged from his office in the Treasury building accompanied by his private secretary, Mr. H. Stanton, and the following suite: Lieutenant-Colonel Holmes, R. C. A.; Capt. Clarke, R. N.; Capt. Benson, R. C. A.; Capt. Nicholles, B. C. G. A.; Dr. Bookie, R. N., and Dr. Matthews, B. C. G. A.

The guard of honor from "C" Battery, R. C. A., under command of Major Peters and Lieutenant Gaudet, were drawn up facing the walk between the Treasury building and the Legislative hall. As His Honor, the Lieutenant Governor and suite appeared, the band of the Battery struck up the national anthem, while the guard presented arms.

The Lieutenant-Governor, on entering the Legislative chamber, was preceded by the Sergeant-at-Arms bearing the mace, and conducted to the throne, when, being seated, he was pleased to read the following

SPEECH:

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly:

It is very gratifying, in meeting you at the opening of this your third session, to be able to congratulate you upon the continued and increasing prosperity of the province.

The past year has been one of general prosperity; but more particularly has it been so in regard to laying the foundations for further development of our great forest, mineral and marine wealth.

The yield of our coal mines exceeds that of any previous year, while the opening of new mines promises great expansion in this important industry.

The revenue for the last fiscal year has considerably exceeded your estimate, and the present year gives promise of a still further increase.

Although the progress made in actual development of quartz mining is, perhaps, not quite equal to anticipation, yet the important discoveries recently made, and the organizations in process of formation for the introduction of capital and effective treatment of ores, justify the expectation of more substantial results in the near future.

Acting under authority given by you last session, my ministers have caused reductionsworks to be erected in Cariboo. These works will soon be ready for the treatment of ore, and it is hoped that an impetus will thus be given to mining enterprise in that district.

During the past year an unfortunate difficulty arose in connection with the administration of justice amongst the Indians of the Upper Skeena, necessitating the sending of a strong force into that country. The services of "C" Battery of the militia were called into requisition, and it is believed that much permanent good will result from that display of strength amongst these remote and semi-barbarous tribes.

At the suggestion of the dominion premier, I commissioned one of my ministers to proceed to Ottawa for the purpose of discussing with the dominion government several matters of public interest, with a view to arranging a basis of settlement. The papers connected with that mission will be laid before you.

The "Minerals Case" having been heard before the judicial committee of Her Majesty's privy council, there is every reason to expect that the decision will be delivered before the labors of the present session are concluded.

The consolidation of the statutes is at length completed, and you will be asked to pass a measure necessary to give effect to that work.

You will be invited to consider whether the time has not arrived for the establishment in this province of a juvenile reformatory.

The public accounts will be placed before you, and estimates for the public service during the coming year will be submitted for your consideration.

I leave you to your deliberations with confidence that your best endeavors will be directed to promote the interests of the province, and I pray that Providence may guide your efforts.

His honor then left the throne, and accompanied by his suite took their carriages at the door, the band again playing "God Save the Queen," and the guard standing at present arms.

Mr. Speaker took the chair at 3:10.

Prayer was offered by Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.

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THE SAMOAN TROUBLE.

Germany Assumes the Upper Hand in the Disputed Islands, and Searches All Vessels Arriving.

The Samoans Joining the Forces of King Mataafa, who has an Army of Six Thousand.

Orders Received at Charleston to have the New Steel Cruiser Ready for Service in Twenty Days.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Dispatches from Auckland regarding affairs at the Samoa Islands state the German naval officers have been notified to search all vessels on Samoan waters for contraband articles. The Germans have suppressed the Samoan *Times*, a paper published in the English language at Apia. A British subject who visited Mataafa was arrested, but was released in compliance with the demand of the British consul. The police of Apia have been placed under German control, and the town is at the mercy of the latter. Six thousand of Mataafa's followers have entrenched themselves strongly, and are ready to give battle to the Germans. The Samoans are rapidly joining the forces of Mataafa. When the Richmond arrived at Apia she was boarded and searched by the Germans.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Inquiry at the Union Iron Works this afternoon elicited the fact that the cruiser Charleston can be completed and made ready for sea in 20 days, as has been ordered by the Secretary of the Navy. It is reported that the Southern Pacific company has received orders to prepare rolling stock with which to move heavy ordnance. It is supposed to have reference to armaments for the Charleston.

THE LATE PRINCE RUDOLPH.

Further Particulars of His Sudden and Untimely Death.

How the News Was Received by the Bereaved Parents and the Wife of the Deceased—The Remains Lying in State in the Imperial Palace at Vienna—Court Mourning Ordered for Three Months—London Press Comments.

(Special to THE COLONIST.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The *Times*, referring to the late Prince Rudolph, says: "The sterner qualities which the throne required he could not show till the time of trial came, but he had intellectual and social gifts. Those who saw him in London on the occasion of the jubilee, when the Queen conferred upon him the Order of the Garter, must feel a natural pang to hear he is cut off in the flower of his age with such fearful suddenness." The *Standard* says: "All that the world knew of him was in his favor. The shock will be felt in Europe far outside the limits of his empire. The shattered hopes of his parents present a picture that might well touch the stolidest heart."

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

VIENNA, Jan. 31.—The *Fremdenblatt* says that on Tuesday, when Crown Prince Rudolph returned from shooting, he complained of a headache, and retired to his room to write a letter. He awoke on Wednesday before seven and ordered his breakfast to be brought up to him. His valet, on entering the room with the breakfast, found the prince dead in bed. Count Hogas and Prince Philip, of Coburg, who were Prince Rudolph's guests, rushed to the prince's chamber when the valet told them the prince was dead. Count Hogas, attired in his hunting costume, immediately went with all speed to Vienna and acquainted Emperor Francis Joseph with the sad news. The Count was closeted for some with his majesty, who, directly after the interview, hastened to inform the Empress, whose grief upon learning of her son's death was terrible. Both the Emperor and the Empress then went to the apartments of the Crown Princess Stephanie, and told her of her husband's death.

PRINCESS STEPHANIE

insisted upon going immediately to Mierling, where the Prince lay dead, and the united efforts of the Emperor and Empress were hardly able to prevent her. They were finally successful, however, and the Emperor then remained alone until 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when he ordered the body of the Prince to be brought to Vienna. The body of the Prince arrived here at 1 o'clock this morning on a special train. A large crowd had gathered at the depot to await its arrival, but quietly left the station at the request of the guards. When the train arrived at the station the body was placed on a bier and taken to a carriage which was drawn by six black horses. As the bier passed through the crowd every hat was raised, and

DEEP RESPECT WAS SHOWN

by all. The court chaplain, the mayor of Vienna, Prince Hohenlohe and other dignitaries followed the carriage, while guards walked on each side of it. Crowds awaited the arrival of the procession at Hofburg. The body, upon arrival at the Imperial palace, was borne to the apartments lately occupied by the dead prince, where it was left reposing in state. The Vienna papers printed special editions giving full accounts of the prince's death, and expressing the deepest sorrow at his untimely end. They all extend sympathy to the bereaved Emperor and Empress and to the wife of the deceased. An autopsy on the body of the Prince will take place to-night, after which the remains will be embalmed. The Count has ordered three months' of national mourning. Owing to the size of the copper coffin in which the body of the Prince was placed, it was impossible to put it in an ordinary hearse, and the hearse used in carrying the bodies of paupers to burial was brought into requisition.

HIS LAST MOMENTS A MYSTERY.

A late despatch states that Prince Rudolph was alone throughout the latter portion of Tuesday. The last moments of his life are a mystery.

THE HEIR APPARENT.

It has been officially decided that Archduke Charles Louis, brother of the Emperor, is to be heir apparent.

WESTMINSTER mills family Blankets and Flannels, for sale at the WESTSIDE. *

The heaviest snow-storm of the season prevailed throughout Eastern Canada on Monday. It continued snowing yesterday.

Great sale at GILMORE & MCCANDLESS'.

Great sale at GILMORE & MCCANDLESS'.

LUTHER L. HOLDEN,

A Great Traveller and What He Thinks of the Scenery of the British Columbian Coast.

Luther L. Holden, travelling manager of the Raymond and Whitcombe vacation excursions, of Boston, New York and Philadelphia, arrived in the city last evening by the steamer Islander, and will leave by the Sound steamer to-day. In conversation with a COLONIST man last evening, Mr. Holden, who is one of the most indefatigable of travellers, remarked that he had four excursion parties already arranged which would visit Victoria before returning to the East. The first of these a party, of tourists who are wintering in Southern California, will arrive here on April 11th, the second party will come along on the 20th of April and will remain for a few days in the city. The third company of tourists may be expected on the 23rd of May, in time for the Queen's Birthday. About 100 tourists will call at Victoria on the 6th of June, on their way to Alaska, it being the annual spring excursion. To add to the pleasure of their excursionists, Mr. Holden's company are contemplating the charter of a steamer to run up the British Columbia coast, and to Queen Charlotte Island. The party will then leave the steamer and re-embark for Alaska. Mr. Holden considers the British Columbia coast far more beautiful than that of Norway or famed New Zealand, and anticipates a rush of touring visitors to view its beauties as soon as better travelling facilities for them are provided.

CABLE NEWS.

Reported Death of the King of Holland.

BERLIN, Jan. 31.—There was an unconfirmed report on the bourse to-day that the King of Holland was dead.

The Ministry Sustained.

PARIS, Jan. 31.—In the deputies M. Montant made a motion for a vote of confidence in the ministry. The motion was carried by a vote of 300 against 240.

C. P. R. TELEGRAPHS.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 31.—Chas. R. Hosmer, manager of C.P.R. Telegraphs, arrived in the city this morning. He is conferring with Supt. Wilson, of the Pacific division, regarding telegraph affairs. The company yesterday made connection with St. John, N.B., and the system will, it is expected, shortly be complete throughout the maritime provinces. It is thought the transcontinental business especially will this year assume very large proportions.

TOWN TOPICS TERSELY TOLD.

Local and General Happenings Gathered Up and Presented in Readable Shape.

GEO. H. MAYNARD'S annual discount sale commences this day. *6t

The Seattle gas company uses Nanaimo coal at its works in preference to the home article.

Alfred Argyle, of this city, has opened a wholesale and retail cigar store in Nanaimo.

The striking miners at Roslyn, W. T., are being replaced by negroes brought from Illinois.

The stock books of the Vancouver street railway have been closed, $30,000 having been subscribed.

W. McArthur has been appointed a special constable for service in Chinatown during the New Year's festivities.

Kanaka Tom was fined $25 in the provincial police court yesterday morning for having a bottle of firewater in his possession.

About forty Victoria young men and maidens have organized a new society club, to be known as the "Midnight Adieu" Club.

F. Lakin, a corporation employee, had his leg broken while working in a trench for the water mains on Tuesday. He was taken to the Royal Hospital.

In addition to the opium found on the North Pacific at Seattle on Tuesday last, a five-pound package of the drug was also found on the steamer while she was at Port Townsend.

Officer Levin, of the city police force, was the first to obtain a clue to the whereabouts of Kenny, the escaped convict, on Wednesday. He received his "pointer" from an Indian woman.

The petition *re* electric light presented to the Council on Wednesday night, asked for a light to be placed at the junction of Yates and Blanchard streets, and not at the corner of Douglas and Yates streets, as reported.

Rev. J. E. Starr, pastor of the Pandora Street Methodist Church, is at present conducting a series of special services in Nanaimo. Last evening the subject taken by the reverend gentleman was "Memory in Hell."

William Williamson, of Nanaimo, who attempted to scatter sections of Police Officer O'Connell, of that city, with a shotgun, was fined $27.50 for his fun, in the Nanaimo police court on Tuesday.

A merry party of young people gathered in Mr. Geo. Stelly's hall, at the corner of Johnson and Blanchard streets, last evening in answer to invitations sent out by Miss Drout and her friends. The hall was prettily decorated with Chinese lanterns, etc., and dancing to the music supplied by Haynes' orchestra was continued with spirit until after midnight.

MARINE.

Schooner Ariel came off the ways yesterday.

Sealing schooner Viva arrived in San Francisco yesterday.

Sealing schooners Penelope and Aurora will sail next week.

Schooner Juanita left for the sealing grounds yesterday afternoon.

Schooner Black Diamond has left the ways at Clarks & Turpel's shipyard.

Steamer Cariboo-Fly will leave Spratt's wharf at noon to-morrow for northern ports.

Bark Bundaleer left Departure Bay yesterday, coal laden for San Francisco.

The bark Enoch Talbot, from Port Townsend, was also in collision with the bark Oregon, anchored in the bay. Damage slight.

Steamer Idaho left Port Townsend for Alaska yesterday morning. She will call at Departure Bay on her way up for a cargo of coal.

The Alexander took the ship Richard III from Port Townsend to Departure Bay on Tuesday to load Wellington coal for San Francisco.

The tug Alexander arrived early this morning from Departure Bay, having towed the bark Antrim, coal laden for San Francisco, down to Esquimalt, where she is waiting for a crew.

On Wednesday two collisions occurred in San Francisco bay. The barkentine Modoc was sailing into port, when she collided with the schooner Gen. Ord during a heavy fog. The Modoc had her rigging and foreyard carried away, and the schooner lost her headgear.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Formally Opened by His Excellency the Governor-General.

Large and Brilliant Assemblage, Despite Stormy Weather—The Speech from the Throne—New Senators and Members Introduced—Business to Be Transacted During the Session.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, 31.—Parliament was opened to-day by Lord Stanley of Preston, Governor-General, with great *eclat*. The assemblage in the Senate Chamber was probably the largest and most brilliant ever seen on such occasions in Canada. The Governor-General was attended by a large suite, resplendent in all kinds of military uniforms, while the seats usually allotted to the Senators were occupied by ladies in ravishing costumes. The day, however, was very stormy, almost a blizzard blowing.

His excellency having entered the Senate Chamber, and the usual formalities been observed, he was pleased to read the following speech:—

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate, Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

In addressing the Parliament of Canada for the first time in fulfillment of the important trust which has been committed to me as Her Majesty's representative, I desire to express the satisfaction with which I resort to your advice and assistance. I am conscious of the honor which attends my association with your labors for the welfare of the Dominion, and it will be my earnest endeavor to co-operate with you to the utmost of my power in all that may promote the prosperity of the people of this country, the development of her material resources, and the maintainenance of the constitutional relations which unite her provinces.

It is to be regretted that the treaty concluded between Her Majesty and the President of the United States for the adjustment of the questions which have arisen with reference to the fisheries has not been sanctioned by the United States Senate, in whom the power of ratification is vested, and that our legislation of last year on the subject is therefore in a great measure inoperative. It now only remains for Canada to continue to maintain her rights as prescribed by the convention of 1818, until some satisfactory readjustment is arranged by treaty between the two nations.

An amendment will agam be submitted to you to amend the acts respecting the electoral franchise for the purpose of simplifying the law and lessening the cost of its operation.

It is expedient in the increase of commerce to assimilate, and in some particulars to amend the laws which now obtain in the several provinces of the Dominion relating to bills of exchange, cheques and promissory notes, and a bill with this object will be laid before you. A bill will also be provided for making uniform throughout the Dominion the law relating to bills of lading.

During the recess my government has carefully considered the subject of ocean steam service, and you will be asked to provide a subsidy for the improvement of the Atlantic mail service and for the establishment, in consort with Her Majesty's government, of a line of fast steamers between British Columbia and China and Japan.

Your attention will also be invited to the best method of developing our trade and securing direct communication with Australasia, the West Indies and South America.

A bill will be submitted for your consideration for the prevention of certain offenses in connection with municipal councils, and to give greater facilities for making inquiries into such matters.

Several measures will also be presented to you for improving the law of procedure in criminal cases. Among these will be a bill to permit the release on probation of persons convicted of first offenses.

A bill authorizing a regulation to be made for the practice in cases partaking of the nature of criminal proceedings, and a bill to make the speedy trials act applicable throughout Canada. Bills relating to the inspection of timber and lumber, for the improvement of the postal system and for increasing the efficiency of the Northwest mounted police will also be submitted for your consideration.

The royal commissioners on labor having concluded their enquiries, I hope to be able to lay before you at an early day their report, with the important evidence collected by them in various parts of Canada.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons: The accounts for the estimates for the ensuing year will be laid before you. These estimates have been prepared with due regard to economy and the efficiency of the public service.

Honorable gentlemen of the Senate, Gentlemen of the House of Commons: I now commend these several subjects and the others which may be brought before your earnest consideration, and I trust that the result of your deliberations may, under the Divine blessing, tend to promote the well being and prosperity of Canada.

Upon the conclusion of the speech Senators Drummond, Rodier and Perley were introduced into the Senate, and Haggart, Dewdney, and other members into the Commons.

Le Pine, the labor representative, seconds the address to-morrow.

Application will be made to the Government to apply the provisions of the British Medical Act to Canada, in order that English medical men may practice their profession in the Dominion without further examination. The Government states that this is a matter solely for the Provinces.

The Government will not allow the Quebec "Debt Conversion Act," although an amendment to the bill, passed last session, will be required.

Kirkpatrick will introduce a bill in favor of reciprocity in wrecking.

ADIEU.

U. S. Minister Phelps and Mrs. Phelps Take Their Departure From England—They Receive a Hearty Farewell.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

LONDON, Jan. 31.—United States Minister Phelps and Mrs. Phelps made their adieus to England to-day and set sail for America in the steamer Lahn from Southampton. They received a hearty farewell on all sides. Hosts of American and foreign diplomatists gathered at the Waterloo station of the London & Southwestern railway to say "good-bye" to the minister and his wife. The Baroness Burdett Coutts presented Mr. Phelps with a magnificent bouquet of flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Phelps were met at Southampton by the mayor and municipal authorities, who accompanied the voyagers to the tender which took them aboard the Lahn.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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THE LEGISLATURE OPENED.

The speech with which His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor, opened the Legislature yesterday was cheerful. It was his agreeable duty to congratulate the representatives of the people on the prosperity of the Province. British Columbia has had a good year. Every interest in the Province has been furthered, and its population has considerably increased. Business is on a sound basis and the prospect for the ensuing year is pleasant and cheering. He had also the pleasing fact to announce that the Government had been able to keep the expenditure within the estimates. It is not every Government that has managed matters so as to make both ends meet and have at the end of the year a balance on the right side of the ledger. Matters go smoothly with governments as well as individuals when there is a little cash in hand.

Mining being one of the leading interests of the province, gets its full share of attention in the Speech. The erection of reduction works at Cariboo will, we have no doubt, aid very materially in the development of the mining industry in that district so rich in minerals. We trust that the suggestion relative to the juvenile reformatory contained in the Speech will be acted upon by the Legislature. There are boys in the Province that greatly need the discipline of such an institution. Their parents cannot keep them in subjection, and to send them to prison where they cannot be kept from associating with criminals more or less hardened cannot fail to complete their education in crime. A place where they can be educated, taught a trade, and kept for a time from all evil associations and demoralizing company is needed to bring out what is good in their nature. We trust that British Columbia will not be long without such an institution.

The prospect before the Assembly is bright. It is to be hoped that its members will address themselves earnestly to the work of the session, and waste as little time as possible in mere talk for talk's sake.

A FOOLISH CRITIC.

The censure of the Toronto *Globe* is the best justification of the course pursued by the Government with regard to Collector Ross that its friends could wish. It admits that Mr. Ross transcended his duty, and it does not wish to excuse him on the ground that the M. A. Batson had called at Halifax for repairs. It condemns the Government because the offence, in its estimation, was "a little one" and because other collectors had done worse in an opposite direction without being punished. There can, we think, not be two opinions as to the gravity of the collector's offence. He, as the *Globe* admits, did what the law strictly and specifically forbids. This of itself, in an officer of the Government, is a very grave offence. But he did more than merely violate the law. He took upon himself to interfere in a very serious dispute between Great Britain and the United States and to compromise the Government he served by making concessions which were opposed to its policy. He deliberately created a precedent which could be cited to weaken Canada's case in any future negotiations on the fishery question. This was by no means the trifling offence which the *Globe* tries to make it out to be. It was, in fact, one which the Government could not overlook without compromising itself still further. The *Globe's* second ground of condemnation is still weaker that the first. It is simply puerile to plead that A did not do wrong because B committed a worse offence. Everyone knows that two wrongs never made one right. If Collector Ross transcended his duty he cannot be justified because Collector Somebodyelse interpreted his instructions too strictly. Besides, any one with a head on his shoulders can see that it is one thing for an official to act in direct opposition to his instructions and to the law made for his guidance, and quite another to be overzealous in carrying out a rigid interpretation of the law to the letter. The former is a deliberate dereliction of duty while the latter is a mere error in judgment. One was an offence, the other was a mistake. The Toronto *Globe* has surely degenerated when it condemns an act of the Government on such childish grounds. We venture to predict that no member of the Opposition who has a reputation to lose will condemn the Government's dismissal of the Halifax Collector for the reasons set forth in the Toronto *Globe*.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S SPEECH.

The speech from the throne read by His Excellency, the Governor-General, at the opening of the Dominion Parliament yesterday is not long, but it contains a great deal. The Opposition this year cannot make the usual complaint of "a meagre bill of fare." There are no sweeping reforms promised in the speech, but much useful legislation is foreshadowed. Legislation in the Dominion has arrived at that stage at which few new laws of the very first importance are required. It would be a reproach on the Parliaments of the Dominion of the last twenty-one years if any of the legislation absolutely required for the well being of Canada had been neglected. But very few laws, when first enacted, are perfect. When they come into operation most of them are found to be more or less defective. They are not exactly suited to the circumstances of the country, or they do not meet all the requirements of the time. They may be right in principle, but they nevertheless require improvement. Some of the measures which, according to the Speech, the Government intend to bring down this session are of this nature.

The Franchise law is to be amended in order to make it more simple and to lessen the cost of its operation. All will admit that this is a step in the right direction. Election laws, above all others, should be easily understood. Whatever the qualification may be there should be no room to doubt who are entitled to vote and who are not. There are many who believe that the difference between the franchise as it is defined in the Dominion election law and manhood suffrage is so small that it would be better to change it by doing away with property qualification altogether. It does not appear that this is the intention of the Government, but it seems to us that any attempt at simplification of the franchise law must be in this direction. One of the probable results of this simplification will be to lessen the expense of operating the election law. The chief objection to the law at present in force is that it requires a great deal of money to put it in operation. The proposed amendments will take away that objection. We find that the election law of the Dominion, which many Canadians are far from regarding as perfect, are cited as models of impartiality and purity by our neighbors across the line.

The amendments in law procedure are most probably made on the suggestion of men learned in the law, and are intended to meet what are felt to be inconveniences. The bill to permit the release on probation of persons convicted of first offences is, we believe, both wise and merciful. It will give the novice in crime another chance. He may not be pardoned, he may have sincerely repented of what he has done, and he may be determined to lead a new life. If he is sent to prison he runs a very great risk of forgetting his good resolutions and of becoming still further demoralized. Very few convicts are reformed in prisons and penitentiaries. This is well known, and kind-hearted merciful men are often tender with first offenders. They frequently do without law, and indeed against law, what the Government propose to do under the sanction of law. They do not prosecute the offender. They let him off; but they have no hold on him. They cannot call him again to account. They frequently lose sight of him altogether, and he, finding he has escaped punishment so easily, and knowing that he is not under surveillance, may require very little temptation to commit another offense. But under the proposed law the first offender will be released on probation. He does not escape, justice keeps her eye on him, and if he does not show by his conduct that he is desirous of becoming a law-abiding and useful citizen she will have the power to take him again in charge and prove to him that the way of the transgressor is hard. We sincerely trust that this beneficent experiment will meet with signal success.

Any amendment to the laws which facilitate commercial intercourse between the different parts of the Dominion cannot fail to be beneficial. The amendment of the laws with respect to bills of exchange, cheques and promissory notes, and the law to make uniform throughout the Dominion the laws relating to bills of lading are intended to have this effect, and there is little doubt that they will accomplish the end proposed.

All who have the progress of the Dominion at heart will approve of the determination of the Government to give the encouragement needed to establish a line of fast sailing steamships to ply between Great Britain and Canada. Such wonderful improvements have been made in the ocean going steamships sailing from the ports of the United States that it is almost certain if Canadians do not bestir themselves, the whole of the Atlantic passenger traffic will be monopolized by New York and other American seaports. If Canada wishes to have its fare share of that traffic it must supplement its magnificent lines of railroads by equally magnificent lines of steamships. Canadian seaports are nearer to Europe than those of the Atlantic States, and steamers sailing to and from them should be able to make the passage in a proportionately shorter time. Where this is the case passengers on Canadian railroads bound to Europe need not go to New York to find a ship that will take them across the Atlantic comfortably and quickly. The probability is that many of those carried by American railroads will, in order to shorten the sea voyage, take passage in Canadian steamships. It is encouraging to see that the Dominion Government does not intend to lose any time in doing its share towards the establishment of a line of fast steamships between British Columbia and China and Japan. When Canada's transcontinental road is connected with Europe and Asia, by lines of fast sailing steamships, it will be certain to secure a very large proportion of the trade between Europe and China and Japan. This will be beneficial to the whole of Canada in many ways, and will greatly tend to the development of the resources of British Columbia. It is to be hoped that in the arrangements with the new lines, the Dominion Government will not permit the interests of Victoria, the nearest port of British Columbia to the Pacific, to be overlooked or neglected.

THE SALVATION ARMY.

The rise and progress of the Salvation Army is one of the most singular of the social phenomena of the day. There is very little that is attractive, and not a little that is distasteful—we might be justified in saying, "that is repulsive"—to the ordinary church-going member of the community in the methods and practices of these salvation lads and lasses. Yet the Army has grown to very large proportions, and is still growing rapidly. Its officers claim to be doing a very great amount of good to individuals and classes that are not reached by the ordinary church organizations. They say that persons who have reached the lowest depths of degradation, who are looked upon as past redemption, are taken by the hand by these Salvationists and reclaimed. The amount of good they do is questioned by some who have the best opportunities of seeing their work and making an estimate of its results, but of the wonderful growth of the organization there can be no doubt. Gen. Booth a few days ago at a meeting held in St. James Hall, London, to celebrate the commissioning of the 7,000th officer of the Army, said that only twenty-five years ago the Army had but one officer. The number of officers is now 7,000. These officers had carried the Salvation Army flags into thirty-two countries. The annual report of the Army states that the number of corps is now 2,587 and the number of outposts 653. "In the United Kingdom the Army uses 1,575 buildings with sitting accommodation for 700,500. The rent roll of these buildings is upwards of £100,000. Upwards of 2,000,000 meetings were held and 3,000,000 houses had been visited, while 154,200 sought salvation on the penitent form in the United Kingdom alone." The Army has established rescue homes for fallen women at which 2,099 had been received, and it has also instituted lodging houses for the homeless poor in which they can receive decent accommodations and food at a mere nominal price. General Booth, speaking of the Limehouse shelter at the St. James Hall meeting, said: "Up to the present date in this building no less than 23,500 beds had been supplied and 250,000 meals at a penny each had been supplied to adults and 220,000 at the charge of a farthing or a half-penny to children. They proposed to extend this scheme to other parts of the metropolis and to provide shelters to women also," The General, speaking of a controversy that had been raised in the *Times* as to the amount of good done by the Army, said, "If the *Times* newspaper would name any district full of blackguards and evil people and would find a shed to meet in, he would send a corps of officers there, and would undertake in six months time to have a church, if they like to call it a church, or a corps there." Like a good many others, we do not admire the Army's music very much or feel a keen delight when we come to a crossing obstructed by a crowd listening to the praying and exhorting of the soldiers of the Army; but when we find that they reclaim those who have been given up for lost, that they give shelter to the homeless and feed the hungry, we do not feel like saying a great deal about what may be considered the unseemliness of the ways of those representatives of the Salvation Army that we happen to meet, or the unmusicalness of their music. That the organization has grown to such proportions, and has succeeded so far, shows that it is agreeable to very many, and that it supplies a want. If it does good, why should any lover of mankind find fault?

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

THE lines of ocean steamships sailing from New York are now the fastest as well as the best equipped in the world. Every addition made to these lines is faster and handsomer than its predecessors. A steamship called the Teutonic was added to the White Star Line a few days ago. She was built at Belfast. She is an immense structure, being 582 feet long, 57½ feet wide, and 39⅓ feet deep. She is 10,000 tons burden. She is expected to cross the Atlantic in six days. The same line has another vessel of equal size almost ready for launching to be called the Majestic. These vessels are built of steel, and have all the modern improvements both of construction and of machinery. They are built under the inspection of the British Government, which pay part of the expense of constructing them on condition that in case of war they will be at its command. They are fitted to carry twelve guns each, and can in forty-eight hours be transformed into cruisers. Half of their crews must in time of peace be Naval Reserve men. This arrangement suits both the Steamship Company and the Government. It gives the Company in time of peace the finest steamships afloat to carry freight or passengers, and it supplies the Government at a few hours' notice with fast sailing cruisers well armed and well manned, ready for transport or any other service for which they may be required.

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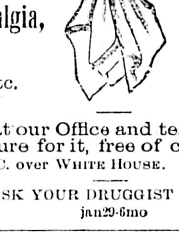

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The day of sailing to be fixed, and duly advertised.

Each tender to state the name and capacity of the steamer to be employed in the service, the rate to be charged for freight and passage.

Competition will be on the amount of subsidy required for the service.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

(Signed,) JNO. ROBSON,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
10th January, 1889. jan11-td

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NOTICE.

To Contractors and Bridge Builders

SEPARATE SEALED TENDERS WILL BE received by the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to noon of Thursday, 7th March next, for the erection of bridges over the North Arms of the Fraser River to connect Lulu and Sea Islands with each other and with the mainland.

Two different designs for the bridges have been prepared, upon which separate bids must be made.

Design No. 1 is composed of nine iron combination Pratt truss spans of 140 feet each, one similar span of 100 feet, two Howe truss swing spans of 140 feet each, and 700 feet of pile trestle approach.

Design No. 2 is composed of forty-seven Queen truss spans of 40 feet each, two Howe truss swing spans of 100 feet each, and 1,560 feet of approach.

The piers in each design are formed by piles.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque for a sum equal to five per cent. of the amount of the tender, made payable to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works. In the event of a contract being let, the cheque will be retained as part security for the due performance of the work. The cheque will be returned to unsuccessful competitors, but will be forfeited by any bidder who may decline to execute a contract if called upon to do so.

The contractor will be required to give satisfactory security, amounting to half the contract price, for the due fulfilment of the contract, and for the maintenance of the bridge for a period of six months from the date of the completion of the work.

Plans and specifications can be seen, and forms for tender obtained, at the office of the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.

Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 21st January, 1889. jan23-td

SEALED SEPARATE TENDERS, addressed to F. C. GAMBLE, GOVERNMENT ARCHITECT, VICTORIA, B. C., and endorsed "Tender for Industrial School, Kamloops," "Tender for Industrial School, Kuper," respectively, will be received at Victoria, B. C., until Tuesday, the 19th day of February, 1889, for the erection of Industrial Schools at Kamloops and Kuper, B.C.

Specifications and drawings can be seen at above address, on and after the 25th day of February, 1889, and tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to *five per cent. of amount of tender*, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract, or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
A. GOBEIL,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works, }
Ottawa, 16th January, 1889. } jan25-3t

Contract for the Supply of Boots for Letter Carriers.

SEPARATE Sealed Tenders, addressed to the Postmaster-General, Ottawa, (for Superintendent, Printing and Supply Branch,) and marked "Tender for the Supply of Letters Carriers' Boots," will be received at Ottawa until 12 o'clock noon on Monday the twenty-fifth day of February, 1889, for the supply to this Department of such Boots as may from time to time be required for the purpose above stated.

The estimated number of pairs required annually is Seven Hundred (700), samples of which are to be seen at the offices of the undermentioned Postmasters, from whom additional information can, if required, be obtained:—

Halifax, N. S.; St. John, N. B.; Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Kingston, Toronto, Hamilton, London, Ont.; Winnipeg and Victoria, B. C., and at the Post Office Department, Ottawa.

The material and workmanship are to be, in all respects, equal to the samples and the Boots when completed are to be delivered at the expense of the Contractor or Contractors, in such quantities as may from time to time be required at the Post Office Department, Ottawa.

The contract to continue in force for a term of four years, provided always the same be executed, as to the prompt completion of the work, the quality of the material used, and the nature of the workmanship performed, to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General.

The tender to state the price demanded per pair in the manner prescribed by the form of tender, and to be accompanied by the written guarantee of two responsible parties undertaking that, in the event of the tender being accepted, the Contract shall be duly executed by the person or persons tendering for the price demanded, undertaking also to become bound with the Contractor or Contractors in the sum of One Thousand Dollars, for the due performance of the Contract.

Printed forms of tender and guarantee may be obtained at the Post Office above named and at the Post Office Department, Ottawa.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

WILLIAM WHITE,
Deputy Postmaster-General,
Post Office Department,
Ottawa, 24th January, 1889.
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MISCELLANEOUS.

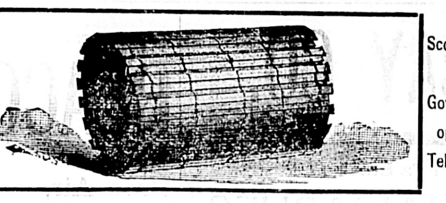
15 Fort Street, VICTORIA. 132 Cordova St., VANCOUVER.

McLENNAN & McFEELY,

Manufacturers

PICKET WIRE FENCE.

This Fence can be seen erected on Douglas Street opposite the



Scotch Bakery, and on Governm't St., opposite the Teleg'ph Office

THE above cut represents the Fencing as it comes from the machine. It is made in rolls from 2 to 5 rods, and is sold at $1.00 to $2.00 per rod (16½ ft.) Pickets are 4 ft. long and any desired distance apart. We also make a capital Chicken Fence of laths. The Fence is made of Pickets woven into Double Strands of Heavy Galvanized "Telegraph" Wire. Each cable will stand a strain of 1500 lbs. After being in use, the Staples may be withdrawn, the Fence rolled up and carried to other points without injury. No two pieces of wood come in contact, no rails or nails are used, and it will last 40 years. It will turn horses, cattle, sheep, pigs and poultry. The Dominion Government has scores of miles of this Fencing along the Intercolonial Railway. dec28

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Keep in Stock the following varieties of Crackers:

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Price List furnished on application. Special discount to the trade. Orders promptly attended to.

Ask Your Grocer for Nesbitt, Dickson & Co.'s Crackers.
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Vancouver City Foundry & Machine Works

COMPANY (LIMITED),

BEGS to inform the citizens of Victoria and public generally, that all orders for Castings, Boilers, or other work in their line, will not only meet with prompt attention, but that in addition to reasonable rates (including free delivery in Victoria), they are also prepared to guarantee their work as equal, if not superior, to any to be had elsewhere in the Province. Having appointed ANDREW GRAY, Esq. (Victoria Machinery Depot) as their Agent in Victoria, with full power and authority to quote prices, receive orders and enter into contracts in their name. All parties desirous of further information are respectfully requested to apply to him on the subject.

nov20-6m R. P. COOKE, President.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FISHERY NOTICE, 1889

WE BEG TO NOTE THAT OUR SEINE and Trap Twines are all made like a laid-up-rope, hard for long service and easy hauling; and NOT OF THE SOFT FLABBY KIND OF TWINE.

GLOUCESTER NET & TWINE CO.

Boston Office, 94 Commercial Street.
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CHAS. HAYWARD,

Funeral Director and Embalmer

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P. T. JOHNSTON & CO.,

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Are selling GRASS AND CLOVER SEEDS at the following unprecedentedly low prices for Cash, and in quantities of 10 lbs. and upwards:

Red Clover	@ 15c.	per lb.
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All other Seeds, also Nursery stock of all descriptions, at correspondingly low rates.

For further particulars see our priced Catalogues, which will be forwarded post free, on application.

SEED STORE, No. 23 Fort Street. NURSERY, Cadboro Bay Road.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DE COSMOS BLOCK.

This is no Barber's featureless figure-head for an old fop's greasy corkscrew, but

WING BROTHERS'

Shoe Factory.

They keep no high salaried Counter Jumpers.
They pay wages to working men only.
They Mend Shoes or Make them to Order.

No commission or intermediate profits are paid by them.

They are the makers of the goods they sell.

This is the only house in the city where the consumer meets the producer.

Grace and comfort are to be had from them at lowest prices.
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"YELLOW OIL"

CURES RHEUMATISM.

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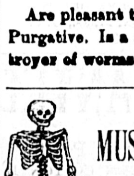
Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure and effectual destroyer of worms in Children or Adults.



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NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APplication will be made to the Legislature of British Columbia, at its next sitting, for a Private Bill to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing, equipping and maintaining a Railway from a convenient point on the eastern boundary of the Province to the northern terminus of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway on Vancouver Island *via* Yellowhead Pass, Cariboo and Bute Inlet; with power to construct and maintain branch lines, to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines, to build and operate steam and other vessels, and generally to do all things conducive or incidental to the attainment of the above purposes or any of them; and for a grant of land in aid of the proposed enterprise.

CHARLES WILSON,
dec22 Solicitor for the Applicants.

NOTICE.—Sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 320 acres of land in the Coast District, described as follows: From a stake marked E, on the south-east corner of the property occupied by the Inverness Cannery, thence north forty chains, thence east eighty chains, thence south forty chains, thence west eight chains to the place of commencement.

J. A. CARTHEW.
Victoria, B. C., Nov. 19, 1888. nov20

NOTICE.—Sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 320 acres of land, described as follows; Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Telegraph Passage, about one and a half miles north of Moore's Cove, thence east forty chains, thence south eighty chains, thence west forty chains more or less to Telegraph Passage, thence following the shore line in a northerly direction to the point of commencement.

J. A. CARTHEW.
Victoria, Nov. 19, 1888. nov20

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase a tract of land situate at the mouth of Woodbury Creek, on west shore of Kootenay Lake, B. C., described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stake about 200 yards north of mouth of Woodbury Creek and at high water mark of Kootenay Lake, and runs thence 40 chains west, thence south 40 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to starting point, containing 160 acres.

FRANK L. FITCH.
Kootenay Lake, Oct. 29, 1888. nov21

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the undermentioned tracts of land, situate in Rupert District, and described as follows:—

Block No. 1.—Commencing at a point one mile due south of the S. E. corner of Section 14; thence S. 80 chains; thence W. 80 chains; thence N. 80 chains; thence E. 80 chains to the point of commencement; containing 640 acres.

Block No. 2.—Commencing at the N.W. corner of Block No. 1; thence S. 80 chains: thence W. 80 chains; thence N. 80 chains; thence E. 80 chains to the point of commencement; containing 640 acres.

JOSHUA DAVIES.
Victoria, November 27th, 1888. dec1-2mo

NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

BETWEEN

JOHN CAMERON, Plaintiff.
AND
THADDEUS HARPER, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost and Henry S. Mason to be Receivers of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with them as such Receivers.

JAMES C. PREVOST.
Dated, HENRY S. MASON.
Victoria, Dec. 20, 1888. dec21

British Columbia Milling and Mining Co.

(LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the Shareholders of the above named Company will be held at the Company's office, 48 Langley street, Victoria, B. C., on Monday, 4th February, 1889, at 11:30 o'clock, a. m., to receive the Report of the Board, to elect Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may there and then be submitted.

The transfer books will be closed from the 21st January to 4th February, inclusive.

Victoria, 7th January, 1889.
GEO. A. SARGISON,
jan8 Secretary.

British Columbia Milling & Mining Co, L'd.

ASSESSMENT No. 20.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Assessment of one cent. per share has been levied upon the members of the above named Company, payable at the Company's office in Victoria, B. C., on or before the 11th day of February, 1889, from and after which date all shares and certificates on which said call shall then remain unpaid, shall be deemed delinquent, subject to interest and costs, and will be dealt with according to law.

Victoria, 9th January, 1889.
By order of the Board,
GEO. A. SARGISON,
jan10-dw Secretary.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE business which has for some time past been carried on at the Victoria Electric Soap Works, at No. 116 Yates street, by McDonald & Co., as Soap Manufacturers, has this day been sold and disposed of to Richard Cruickshank, who will in future carry on the said business under his own name.

The said Richard Cruickshank will collect all the outstanding accounts of the late firm, and we will pay all the debts owing by us upon presentation of same.

Dated at Victoria, this 16th January, 1889.
Witness: McDONALD & CO.
THORNTON FELL. jan18-2t

NOTICE OF PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT APplication will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next sitting, for an Act to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing and operating a line of STREET RAILWAY in the Districts of Esquimalt, Victoria and Lake, connecting with the Street Railway system of the City of Victoria, on the following routes: Victoria to Cadboro and Oak Bays; Victoria to Esquimalt Town; Victoria to the Royal Oak Hotel in Lake District; Victoria to Craigflower Bridge; Victoria to the Gorge, and from thence by the Craigflower Road back to Victoria; and to such other point or points as may be deemed advisable. The said Street Railway line to run along the usual highways to the foregoing points.

Victoria, EBERTS & TAYLOR,
Dec. 18, 1888. Agents for the Applicants.

NOTICE.

MR. J. R. FELKER INSTRUCTS ME TO request that all claims against him may be at once sent in, and all debts due to him paid to me forthwith.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Victoria, Barrister-at-Law.
15th January, 1889. jan17-w-4t

NOTICE.

THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada at the next Session for an Act conferring additional powers for the construction and protection of its Telegraph Lines.

CHARLES DRINKWATER,
Secretary.
Montreal, Nov. 30, 1888. dec8

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICAtion will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for a Private Bill to incorporate a Company for the purpose of acquiring lands in the Province, the manufacture and exportation of lumber and articles made of wood, and for general trading, with all necessary powers.

Dated the 12th day of January, 1889.
CHARLES WILSON,
jan13-6w Solicitor for the Applicants.

"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Lot No. 1, Group 1, Cowgitz Cove, Skidegate Straits, Queen Charlotte Island.

A CERTIFICATE OF INDEFEASIBLE Title to the abovementioned Lot will be issued to Alfred John Langley and William Parsons Sayward, on the 26th day of April, 1889, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to the undersigned, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest in said lot, or some part thereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 23rd January, 1889. jan23-3mo

WAY OUT IN ALASKA.

How a Tenderfoot Sought Gold in Our Arctic Territory.

Roseate Romance of Boundless Wealth and Magnificent Scenery and the Stern Reality of Bacon and Beans —An Hospitable Indian.

A writer in the Juneau City *Mining Record* gives a graphic description of experiences while in the recent prospecting tour in Alaska: On the morning of July 9, he says, we left Douglas City on the favorite and fast-sailing canoe Hiak, Captain Jim (both well and favorably known in Alaskan waters) for a prospecting trip in Lynn Canal. As the day was fine and the wind fair the sail through Gastineaux, Stephens' passage and Lynn Canal was delightful, as each one is dotted with little islands, rising from the water's edge to a height of a thousand feet or more, whilst the mountains on the mainland are thousands of feet high, with ragged peaks not unlike the teeth of an old-fashioned cross-cut saw, the spaces between the peaks being filled with glaciers and the peaks themselves are covered with perpetual snow. As I am a chee-chaco in the country (that's what my chums call me), every thing appeared wild and picturesque, and as I burst out in exclamations of admiration every once in a while at the scenery, they would say: "Oh, shucks! that ain't nothing; you had ought to see the scenery on the Yukon."

The first night we camped on a creek about thirty miles from Juneau, where our native told us there was some quartz. We stayed and examined it, but did not think enough of it to locate it. The next day we arrived at our native's illahee (as he called it), situated at Lynn Canal, and distant about forty miles from Juneau. It is a beautiful bay, filled with many islands and teeming with fish, from the mighty whale to the tiny herring, while the woods and mountains are full of game—the small and harmless ground-hog and the large and fierce brown bear.

The Indian who accompanied us is a fine specimen of his race; he stands over six feet in his bare feet, and weighs over two hundred pounds. He is a Mormon in proclivities, for he has a number of wives, who appear well satisfied with him as their lord and master, and I could see no sign of the green-eyed monster. He is a bear hunter by occupation, and an enthusiast in that line, and many were the stories and hair-breadth escapes he related. I can well believe he is a good hunter, as his larder is well stocked with fish, flesh and fowl; his wives were brown, fat and greasy; his dogs, of which he had seven, were all in splendid condition, and that is more than can be said of most Indian dogs. He told us the peculiarities of each, and showed us the many wounds they had received in their encounters with bruin. He also showed us the hole where he buried the bears' heads, and there must have been twenty skulls in it. I inquired of him why he did so, and he told me: "Bear all same Indian; by and by he go to the happy rooting ground."

As a host he is a prince, and right royally he treated us to all kinds of game put up in Indian style. We had smoked porcupine put up in seal oil, and one of our crowd who pretends to be an epicure said it was delicious; there were seal's flippers cooked in grease, which were not dissimilar to pig's feet; baked ground hog stuffed with mussels, which gave the hog a fishy taste and improved the flavor of the mussels. His bear's head cheese was actually immense, and there were many more dishes too numerous to mention. He showed many kinds of roots and herbs good for food and medicine. He also showed his canned halibut, hooks and all of his dancing outfit. His headgear and mask cost him fifty dollars; it was wild and uncouth, and was carved out of yellow cedar. It had a large nose like a parrot's beak, eyes made of mother-of-pearl, a mouth which contained the teeth of the only siwash doctor in Noah's ark, ears made from the hide of the ichthyosaurus, hair made from the sea lion's whiskers. His hunting knife had some unique carving on the handle that represented some Indian myth the bears were afraid of. As a prospector, like many more following that vocation, I do not consider him a success, as we examined many places that he showed us, but could see nothing except white and barren quartz.

He had other places he wanted to show us, and we would have gone with him, but one of the party had an acute attack of inflammatory rheumatism. The native told us the extent of his territory, and said he expected white men prospecting on his domain to pay him $2.50 per day for his knowledge and services. He said the land and water belonged to his ancestors from time immemorial, and he inquired if white men owning a similar amount of land would allow every body on it. His argument brought forcibly to our mind the "bloated bondholders" of America and the land question that is now agitating the British Empire, where Lords, Dukes and Earls are holding hundreds of miles square that their ancestors acquired by might, while he claims his by right. The only difference I see between them and this Indian is that he will be glad to see you hunt or fish on his supposed country, while if you caught a trout in their waters or shot a pheasant in their woods you would get about five years.

The next day we traveled against a head wind and a terrible rain, and after getting drenched to the skin we camped. It would be very pleasant prospecting in Alaska were it not for the rain, head wind and tides, thick brush and mosquitoes, and a few other little inconveniences. Then, again, if I was looking through a tourist's eyes from the deck of an ocean steamer, how romantic the majestic mountains and rivers, hundreds of miles of pine-clad shores, and every now and then a vast glacier! Then in smooth, narrow channels can be seen the mammoth whale, forging his way along nearly as fast as the steamer, and every few feet can be seen the shining silvery sides of a beautiful salmon, disporting, or trying to escape from some finny monster who is trying to catch him for a meal. I saw a seal gobble one in less than two seconds. To me the animals on such a trip remind one of a great menagerie, without having to pay at the door, while the waters are a grand aquarium; and take it altogether, were it not for the stern reality of beans and bacon, a prospecting tour in Alaska is like visiting an ever-changing panorama.

The True Man Hidden.

Love sees the virtues that are of the soul, hatred only the diseases of the skin. "All men have their faults, and stealing was Bill's," said a weeping widow over the corpse of a desperado, shot in attempted burglary. And grotesque, ludicrous as the expression may seem, she was right. She knew that not in the robber, the law-breaker, the outcast, did the real man shine forth, but in those rarer moods of kindliness and generosity when he was the true friend and husband. Perhaps when two enemies, who have refused to see any good in each other on this earth, meet hereafter in another world, free from the muddy vesture of decay which clogs their vision here, the first thought of each will be: "Is this the beautiful soul that I maligned and hated?"

The endorsement of *German Syrup* is unparalleled. We will publish 1000 testimonials received during the last six months. Read them. May save your life.

BURLINGHAM, N. Y., May 31, '86.

G. G. GREEN, Dear Sir:—I am frequently troubled with severe colds, and the only remedy that will relieve me of them is your *Boschee's German Syrup*. I have used it for more than twelve years. It is a constant household companion with me. Our merchant here procured it first at my solicitation, and says he has sold a great many bottles. It is a very popular remedy in this section. Every person who has used it speaks in the highest terms of its merits. I do not know of a single case it has not cured. I first used it in Vermont, where I lived before coming here. I advise everyone to use it, as it is certainly the best cough medicine I have ever known. I have tried nearly all of them at different times.

Yours respectfully, MOSES GRAY, Proprietor Grist Mill.

SOME NOVEL ESCAPES.

Two Good Stories Related by Intelligent African Bushmen.

While Mr. Anderson was leisurely traveling through South Africa in a wagon drawn by sixteen oxen, he heard from the bushmen many stories of their remarkable escapes from lions, says a writer in *Golden Days*. One bushman, having been seized by the arm by a lion, had the presence of mind to use his free arm to take up a handful of sand and throw it in the lion's eyes. The beast, roaring with pain, and blinded, let go the man, who ran away before the lion could recover his sight. Mr. Anderson saw the man, and the marks of the lion's teeth on his arm.

That lion was not as cool as a sergeant in the United States army, who was stationed at one of the forts on the Western plains. A soldier, having deserted, was captured by the sergeant in a mining camp fifty miles from the fort.

While returning they were passing a saloon, and the prisoner begged the privilege of going in and getting a drink. The sergeant consented, and they went in together and stood before the bar, on which was a pepper-box filled with cayenne pepper. The soldier took the box up, unscrewed the perforated lid, threw a handful of the red pepper into the sergeant's eyes and started for the door. The blinded man, though suffering intensely, retained his self-possession. He drew his revolver, fired in the direction of the retreating footsteps and shot the deserter through the heart.

A bushman, on being seized by a lion, who grasped the man's left arm with his teeth, used his free arm to take hold of one of the beast's hind legs. This he squeezed and pinched so hard that the lion gave a roar and sprang away.

Economy at the Furnace Door.

The best engineer in Christendom, says *Practical Electricity*, can not produce the best results with his plant when he has to depend on an unskilled fireman, or upon himself, acting also as fireman. It is a common notion that any body can shovel coal into a furnace, and that this constitutes all that a fireman needs to do. A great many mill agents, treasurers, to say nothing of boards of directors, cherish this idea, without realizing how serious it is. We assert that no man ought to be placed in charge of a coal pile who can not tell approximately how much can be deduced from it, because it represents a certain number of foot-pounds of work, and has, therefore, a definite evaporative value. To speak plain, the coal pile means just so many dollars worth of work. The duty of expending this money, this raw material, should be intrusted to a well-experienced and well-paid fireman. Every engineer has his own specific sphere of work, and only false economy demands that he should move out of it. Engineers are neither omniscient nor omnipresent, but, if they know their business, and are not afraid to tell the truth, they will not hesitate to recognize and condemn the wastefulness of the policy of hiring either a cheap fireman or no fireman at all.

A carload of Wrapping Papers, assorted qualities, weights and sizes. These we offer for sale at lower prices than ever before. T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *

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NOTICES.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Private Bills.

NOTICE.

The time limited for receiving Petitions for Private Bills will expire on Thursday, the 21st day of February next.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk Legislative Assembly.

Dated VICTORIA, 10th January, 1889. jan12

TAX NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Assessed and Provincial Revenue Taxes for the year 1889 for and in the Electoral Districts of Victoria City, Victoria and Esquimalt, together with the Coast Districts and the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Railway, exclusive of other lands owned by the Company in British Columbia, are now due and payable at my office, Government Buildings, James Bay, at the following rates:—

Real Property Tax, if paid on or before the 30th of June next, ½ of one per cent.; if paid on or after the 1st of July next, ⅔ of one per cent.

Personal Property Tax, if paid on or before the 30th of June next, ⅓ of one per cent.; if paid on or after the 1st of July next, ½ of one per cent.

Income Tax, if paid on or before the 30th of June next, ½ of one per cent.; if paid on or after the 1st of July next, ¾ of one per cent.

Wild Land Tax, if paid on or before the 30th of June next, 7½ cents per acre; if paid on or after the 1st of July next, 8½ cents per acre.

Provincial Revenue Tax, $3 per capita.

Parties liable for such Taxes are requested to note the above and govern themselves accordingly.

C. BOOTH,
Assessor and Collector.

January, 1889. jan13-2w

"JURORS' ACT, 1883,"

AND AMENDING ACTS.

To the Selectors of Jurors for Victoria District:

YOU ARE HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO hold on the 7th day of January, A.D. 1889, a Special Sittings at the Court House, James Bay, City of Victoria, for the purpose of preparing, selecting, and having made up, the Jurors' Books, Rolls, and Lists, for Victoria District, for the year 1889, and for so doing let this be your warrant.

Given under my hand and seal, at the City of Victoria, B. C., this 20th day of December, A. D. 1888.

HUGH NELSON,
Lieutenant-Governor.

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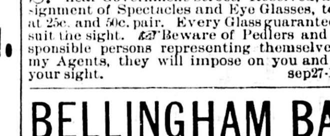
SPECIALTIES.



S. HYAMS, OPTICIAN, 27 FORT STREET, near Government street. Received, a consignment of Spectacles and Eye Glasses, to sell at 25c. and 50c. pair. Every Glass guaranteed to suit the sight. ☞Beware of Pedlers and irresponsible persons representing themselves as my Agents, they will impose on you and ruin your sight. sep27-1yr

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Kentucky Blue	14	" "
Mesquite	18	" "
Alfalfa	15	" "
White Clover	25	" "
Red Clover	15	" "
Alseke	25	" "
Timothy	9	" "

The above prices are quotations for the present, but are liable to vary according to the market.

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A. D. CHARLTON,
Ass't Gen. Pass. Agt.,
No. 2 Washington st., Portland, Or. jul21

CITY BALANCE SHEET.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA.

Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1888.

ASSETS.

Municipal Taxes Outstanding:—		
Real Estate	$21,124 63	
Trade Licenses	2,005 00	
Retail Liquor Licenses	220 00	
Water Rents	6,035 03	
Fire Insurance Tax	2,925 00	
		$32,309 66
Water Works, Sinking Fund: $100,000 Loan		33,370 00
do 50,000 do		23,286 00
do 20,000 do		4,532 00
do 75,000 do		3,212 00
Electric Light Debentures Sinking Fund		1,849 45
Drainage Debentures Sinking Fund		576 55
Streets do do do		904 30
Corporation do do do		7,545 38
Street Repairs, 2,000 Yards Rock		3,000 00
Johnson Street Sewer Account		410 50
Maps of City		50 00
Electric Light Plant		20,000 00
Corporation Horse, Cart, Etc.		500 00
Spring Ridge Property		3,164 55
Pound Property		1,600 00
Street Gas Lamps		100 00
Drainage Account		4,449 75
City Hall Building and Lots 1,249 and 1,250		40,000 00
Steam Engine		1,000 00
Electric Light Building		3,500 00
Office Furniture		1,500 00
Water Works Extension Account		54,843 64
Bank of B. N. A. Water Works Acct.		10,179 53
Road Roller and Rock Crusher		5,000 00
Library		450 00
Bank of B. N.A. Johnson Street Sewer Account		29,589 50
Fire Department Plant		26,000 00
Steam Drills		1,000 00
Street Sprinkler		150 00
Street Scraper		250 00
Bank of British Columbia (Special Deposit for Water Works)		10,000 00
Thomas Storey		113 75
Thomas Russell		5,413 16
Joseph Gosnell		520 95
Cash on hand		1,136 44
		$331,507 11

LIABILITIES.

Corporation Summary		$79,751 44
Bank B. N. A.		33,691 07
Corporation Debentures		20,000 00
Drainage do		5,000 00
Electric Light do		16,000 00
Streets do		50,000 00
Water Works Extension Debentures		75,000 00
do 1888 Loan do		20,000 00
Johnson Street Sewer do		30,000 00
Drake, Jackson & Helmcken		75 00
Eberts & Taylor:—		
Retainer	500 00	
Cash Disbursed	539 25	
Legal Fees	950 35	
		1,989 60
		$331,507 11

Victoria, B. C., January 14th, 1889.
Certified Correct:
JAMES L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

GEO. BERRIDGE, Accountant.

Cash Statement for the Year ending 31st December, 1888.

RECEIPTS.

Balance, 1st January, 1888	$ 433 67
Water Works, Rents (general account)	37,763 93
Fire Insurance, Tax	6,225 00
Fire Department, sale of horse, etc.	62 50
City Pound, Fees	386 25
Surveying Street Lines	40 00
Real Estate Tax	55,989 02
Trades Licenses	17,733 75
Retail Liquor Licenses	14,310 00
Wholesale do	1,025 00
Road Tax	2,008 00
Drivers' Licenses	43 00
Dog Tax	98 00
House Moving	40 00
Corporate Seal	20 75
Police Court, Fines and Fees	5,476 00
Cemetery, Fees	2,142 00
Johnson Street Sewer Loan	30,337 50
Water Works Loan 1888	20,225 00
Bank B. C., from Special Deposit W. W. Loan	36,713 66
Weighing Machine Fees	328 75
Bank B. N. A., Increase of balance	26,485 32
	$257,887 10

EXPENDITURES.

Water Works, General Account	$16,499 35
Water Works, Loan 1888	20,000 00
Water Works Debentures:	
Sinking Fund, $100,000 Loan	2,360 00
do 50,000 do	1,750 00
do 20,000 do	412 00
do 75,000 do	1,577 00
Electric Light Debentures, Sinking F'd	596 00
Drainage Debentures, Sinking Fund	186 00
Street Debentures Sinking Fund	444 00
Corporation Debentures, Sinking Fund	619 65
Fire Department	14,363 84
Street Repairs	44,772 83
City Police	16,850 00
City Pound	917 12
Charges, including Salaries, Printing, Special Audit, etc., etc.	12,193 58
Surveying Expenses	1,971 68
Board of Health, including smallpox Expenses	4,478 93
Street Lighting	8,984 64
Sidewalks	7,769 55
Johnson Street Sewer	410 50
Legal Expenses	784 26
Commission on Collections	487 20
Donations	876 68
Water Works, Interest $100,000 Loan	6,555 00
do do 50,000 do	3,605 00
do do 20,000 do	1,740 00
do do 75,000 do	3,750 00
Electric Light Debentures, Interest	960 00
Drainage Debentures, Interest	300 00
Street Debentures, Interest	2,500 00
Corporation Debentures, Interest	1,697 50
Beacon Hill Park	1,770 86
General Interest	1,538 67
Police Court, Fines paid over to Government	1,250 00
Cemetery	1,372 74
Electric Light Plant	1,392 28
City Hall	783 44
Office Furniture	67 00
Library	450 00
Water Works Extension Account—16-inch Main	28,477 15
Bank B. N. A.—Johnson Street Sewer Account	29,589 50
Bank B.N.A.—Water Works Account, Increase of Balance	8,259 66
Thomas Russell—Short in Cash	1,387 03
Cash on hand	1,136 44
	$257,887 10

Victoria, B. C., 14th January, 1889.
Certified Correct:
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

GEO. BERRIDGE, Accountant.

Statement of Actual Cash Assets and Liabilities, 31st Dec., 1888.

ASSETS.

Municipal Taxes outstanding	$32,309 66
Thomas Russell's guarantee bond	2,000 00
Joseph Gosnell's account	520 95
Thomas Storey's account	113 75
Cash Balance	1,136 44
Surplus Cash in hands of Treasurer	143 31
	$36,224 11

LIABILITIES.

Bank of B. N. A.	$33,691 07
Eberts and Taylor	1,989 60
Drake, Jackson & Helmcken	75 00
Sundry small Accounts Unpaid	219 88
Balance	248 56
	$36,224 11

Victoria, B. C., January 14th, 1889.
Certified Correct:
JAMES L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

GEO. BERRIDGE, Accountant.

Victoria Water Works.---Interest and Sinking Fund Account, December 31st, 1888:

RECEIPTS.

Balance at Credit of account Jan. 1st		$ 61,575 70
Cash received from the Corporation of Victoria, from January 1st to December 31st, 1888, to pay interest on all Loans	15,650 00	
Do do Sinking Fund	6,099 00	
Interest allowed by Bank B. N. A. on amounts at credit of Sinking Fund	1,861 88	
		$ 85,189 58

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Interest on Coupons	$ 15,650 00
Balance	69,539 58
	$ 85,189 58

Victoria, B. C., January 14th, 1889,
Certified Correct,
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor,

GEO BERRIDGE, Accountant.

Victoria Water Works.---Cash Statement---January 1st to December 31st, 1888:

RECEIPTS.

Water Rents	$ 36,739 41
Services Collected	1,024 52
	$37,763 93

DISBURSEMENTS.

Charges, including Salaries, Printing, etc.	$ 4,901 59
Extensions	9,157 25
Maintenance and Service Pipes	2,440 50
Corporation of Victoria	21,264 58
	$37,763 93

VICTORIA, B. C., January 14th, 1889.
Certified Correct,
JAS. L. RAYMUR, Auditor.

GEO. BERRIDGE, Accountant.

Victoria Water Works.---Balance Sheet, December 31st, 1888:

ASSETS.

Bank of B. N. A. Sinking Fund Acct.	$ 69,539 58
Corporation of Victoria	157,916 89
Construction Account	261,316 44
Bank of B. C., Special Deposit	10,000 00
Bank of B. N. A., General Acct.	10,179 53
Water Works Reservoir Acct.	54,820 47
	$563,772 91

LIABILITIES.

Interest and Sinking Fund	$ 69,539 58
Debenture Account	257,500 00
Revenue Account	229,233 33
Redeemed Debentures	7,500 0
	$563,772 91

Victoria, B. C., January 14th, 1889.
Certified Correct:
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The Perry Creek Gold Mining Company,

(LIMITED LIABILITY.)

January Assessment, Due Feb. 28, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the 29th January, 1889, an assessment of Five (5) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on or before the 28th February, 1889, to the Secretary of the company at the company's office, Victoria, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessments shall remain unpaid on the 4th March, 1889, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on the 15th March, 1889, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

HENRY JACOBY, Secretary.
The Company's Office, Government St., Victoria. nov10-5t-1w

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Thomas Elwyn, deceased

ALL PARTIES HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of the late Thomas Elwyn are requested to send particulars (properly certified) to the executors; and all persons indebted to the estate will please pay the amounts due forthwith.

HAMILTON MOFFATT, Executor.
sep29-6mo

Estate of W. C. S. Seeley.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the Estate of the late W. C. S. Seeley, are requested to send in their accounts before February 1st, 1889, for immediate settlement. All persons owing the said estate are requested to settle forthwith.

jan6-td J. H. SEELEY, Executor.

Estate of Arthur John Finney, deceased, Intestate.

ALL persons indebted to the above estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons having any claims against the said estate are requested to forward the same, duly proved, to

JAMES C. PREVOST, Administrator.
Dated Jan. 9th, 1889. jan10

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 9,

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Saturday, Dec'ber 1st, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP.

STATIONS.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays only.	No. 5 Passenger Saturdays only.
VICTORIA	Ar 1.04 P.M	Ar 5.40	
RUSSELL'S Vic. W	1.00	5.36	
ESQUIMALT	12.50	5.26	
GOLDSTREAM	12.23 P.M	5.01	
SHAWNIGAN L'E	11.28	4.06	
COBBLE HILL	11.16	3.56	
McPHERSON'S	10.59	3.41	
KOKSILAH	10.47	3.31	
DUNCAN'S	10.42	3.26	
SOMENOS	10.32	3.16	
CHEMAINUS	10.06	2.54	
NANAIMO	De 9.04 / Ar 8.55	1.56	P.M. Ar 6.55
WELLINGTON	De 8.40 A.M	De 1.41 P.M	De 6.40

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.

STATIONS.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays only.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only.
VICTORIA	De 8.20 A.M	De 2.12 P.M	
RUSSELL'S Vic. W	8.24	2.16	
ESQUIMALT	8.34	2.26	
GOLDSTREAM	9.01	2.51	
SHAWNIGAN L'E	9.56	3.46	
COBBLE HILL	10.08	3.56	
McPHERSON'S	10.25	4.11	
KOKSILAH	10.37	4.21	
DUNCAN'S	10.42	4.26	
SOMENOS	10.52	4.36	
CHEMAINUS	11.18	4.58	
NANAIMO	Ar12.20 P.M / De12.29	5.56	P.M. De 10.15
WELLINGTON	Ar12.44	Ar 6.11	Ar. 10.30

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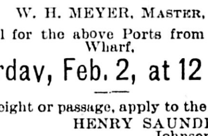

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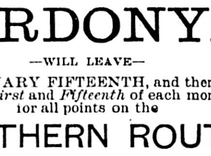
Northern  Route.

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Ar Pt. Towns'd	1:15 p.m	Ar Seattle	1:30 p.m
Lv Pt. Towns'd	2:00 p.m	Lv Seattle	6:45 p.m
Ar Victoria	5:30 p.m	Ar Tacoma,	9:00 p.m

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Per Steamer OLYMPIAN, from Puget Sound.—R H McCoy, F C Dudley, J E Cook, O Parker, L Holden, W M Brison, M E Dudley and wife, E Van Duzen and wife, Miss Smith, H Boyd, F Pickley, J Farrell, Miss Gemmell, Miss C Scafe, W Caron, M Rothschild, M A Cohen, A Little, W Scalper, Mrs Blimin, C M Kimball, C Utter, M Kelly, F Caddy, C Eckhard, C B Nash, F Long, W Roade, A Briggs, S A Goodwin, J Meakins, W Powers, O J Kuder, H C Costerus, J Galvin, A Lewis, J Burrows, Dr R F Verrinden.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer ISLANDER, from Vancouver.—Langley & Co, Turner H & Co, J H Todd & Son, D H Ross, A B Gray, Ames Holden Co, H Mansell, C Strouss, C R McDonald & Co, J A T Caton, H Bornstein, W Gordon, T B Pearson, Morris Moss, Coll Inland Rev, J G Geddes, W McKeon & Son, Alb Iron Works, Dom Exp Co.

Per Steamer OLYMPIAN, from Puget Sound.—Estate W J Jeffreys, S J Pitts, R Baker & Son, Alb Iron Works, Jas McNeill, A Mayer, Vaio & Brooks, J H Todd & Son, Welch Rithet & Co.

DIED.

THORNHILL.—In this city, on the 30th instant, Richard Daniel Thornhill, a native of Kent, England, aged 60 years.

The funeral will take place on Friday, 1st February, at half-past two o'clock from the Methodist Church, Pandora street.

Friends are invited to attend.

CAMERON.—On the 31st Jan., at the residence of Mr. Alexander Cameron, Beacon Hill, Mrs. Hugh Cameron, a native of Rannoch, Perthshire, Scotland, in the 84th year of her age.

Notice of funeral will be given later.

Public Notice.

An interesting period of the year is now approaching, a period when men and maidens, boys and girls, send their love tokens to each other in the shape of Valentines, and we invite all those who intend to keep up the above old custom, to call and see our very exquisite assortment of these tender missives, in all the latest and prettiest designs, which St. Valentine (could he visit us) would pronounce the best ever seen in Victoria. M. W. Waitt & Co. *

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For the Ladies.

Miss Crabb, who has just arrived from Boston, wishes to call the attention of the ladies of Victoria to the fact that she has started dressmaking at No. 43 Blanchard street. Persons wishing first-class work will do well to give Miss Crabb a call. 1mo*

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LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Sent Up For Trial.

George Kenny was brought before Edwin Johnson, Esq., S.M., in the provincial police court yesterday morning, charged with jail breaking. The case was plainly established and the prisoner sent up for trial.

Desirable Building Sites.

Seven acres of the grounds of the Caledonian Society, near Beacon Hill, are now offered for sale for residential purposes. The situation of the lots is unsurpassed for scenic outlook and sanitary advantages. Messrs. Lowenberg, Harris & Co., have the lots for sale, and from them all particulars can be obtained.

Customs Collections.

Following are the collections at the port of Victoria, British Columbia, for the month ending 31t January, 1889:

Duties	50,402 54
Miscellaneous	634 21
Chinese Immigration Act	277 00
Total	$51,313 75

Opening of the New Law Courts.

The new law courts will be formally opened by Lieut.-Governor Nelson at 3 o'clock this afternoon, in the presence of the judiciary, members of the government, members of the legislative assembly, and the general public. In the evening the building will be illuminated, and an opportunity offered to all who may desire to inspect the interior of the new court.

Vancouver Electric Railway.

At the last meeting of the aldermen of Vancouver it was shown that the effort of a few enterprising citizens to build an electric street railway would fall unless important modifications were made in the franchise. The aldermen took a sensible and liberal view of the matter, released the company's guarantee, reduced the required capital one half, and lessened the mileage of track, and it is now thought the enterprise will go ahead.

The B. C. Directory.

In the course of a couple of weeks R. T. Williams & Co. will issue their directory of the province, which this year will surpass any previous edition in the variety and accuracy of its information and in its general value to the business public. The edition has been somewhat delayed in the endeavor to make it as complete as possible. Printing and binding have each been executed in Victoria, and when issued the directory will be a home production throughout, and one which will fully meet all requirements.

In Peace With God.

Mrs. Hugh Cameron, a lady well-known to many in this city, to whom she had endeared herself by her never-failing kindness of heart, died yesterday afternoon, at the residence of her son, Mr. Alex. Cameron, Beacon Hill, after a lingering illness. The deceased lady was a native of Perth, Scotland, and was in her 84th year. She leaves a family of seven, three sons and four daughters, all well-known here, to mourn for her.

An Unfortunate Affair.

It transpires that the particulars given in the alleged Yates street wife beating case, are somewhat at fault. The husband did not beat her. The unfortunate woman is addicted to the excessive use of alcohol, and it was in an endeavor to restrain her from striking him that the husband used any force, and then only to protect himself. It is one of those unhappy cases of a "skeleton in the closet," which unfortunately has been thrown into the broad light of day.

American Terminus of the C. P. R.

The Seattle *Post-Intelligencer* gives publicity to the statement of a Port Townsend merchant that the line of the C. P. R. is to be extended to Port Townsend. The route to be traversed to reach Port Townsend will be from Vancouver down the mainland to a point opposite Fidalgo Island. The island can be reached by bridging from the mainland. The route will then lie over the island, across Deception Pass to Whidby Island, the track terminating at Admiralty Head. Ferries will thence connect the road with Port Townsend, a distance of five miles. The *Intelligencer* also says that the C. P. R. will take an initiatory step towards making Port Townsend its American terminus by placing the Islander on the route from Port Townsend to Vancouver *via* Victoria. The Premier will run between Seattle and Port Townsend. This arrangement is expected to be consummated very soon.

Great sale at GILMORE & MCCANDLESS'.

Opening of the Legislature.

All the members of the Legislature were in their seats yesterday when the session was formally opened by His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor, with the exception of Mr. E. Allen, the junior member for Lillooet (whose arrival was delayed), and the two new members, Messrs. Nason and Tolmie, who remained outside the bar of the House until the Lieutenant-Governor had taken his departure, when they were conducted to the throne, introduced to Mr. Speaker, and then led to their seats. Mr. Nason occupies the seat where Mr. McLeese formerly sat, and Mr. Tolmie takes the seat which was previously occupied by Mr. John. The other members retain the seats they held last session. Both sides of the House were gratified to see the Hon. Attorney-General present in his accustomed seat on the treasury benches, and the applause he received upon rising to speak testified in the most marked manner the high estimation in which the honorable gentleman is held, both by his colleagues and supporters and his political opponents.

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The Accident on the C. P. R.

The following particulars of the fatal accident on the C. P. R. were received last evening. The accident occurred on Tuesday in the Selkirks, some eight miles east of Field. A freight train was moving at an ordinary rate down the steep grade which exists at the point named. The rain of the early morning, in consequence of the sudden change in the weather, which had fallen on the rails turned into a small coating of ice. At intervals of short distances, as those who have travelled the route will have observed, are placed sidings running up against the side of the mountains. These are constructed in such a manner as to arrest the progress of a train should it become unmanageable. Approaching trains give the signal whistle for closing the switch whilst passing. The moment the train passes the switch is again opened, and so remains until it is closed, as already explained. It is believed that the ice had formed so rapidly as to prevent the working of the switch with rapidity. The freight train was wrecked but to what extent is not yet definitely known. The fireman and brakesman received such injuries that they died from the effects. The engineer was also injured, but not fatally. He will recover. A large force of men and wrecking appliances and physicians were at once despatched from Donald to clear the wreck. Traffic was interrupted for a short time, and the Pacific Express was delayed some 15 hours at this point. On Wednesday the track was again clear and traffic resumed.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Lots of Libel Suits.

Our brisk little contem., the *Courier*, was on Tuesday served with ten writs, representing as many new libel suits, brought by the miners whose names were mentioned in the "blackleg" list, by a Wellington correspondent of the *Courier* during the recent difficulty at the mines. It would perhaps be hard to find another paper not yet two months old that can rival the *Courier's* record.

At Government House.

His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Nelson, entertained the following guests at dinner at Government House last evening: Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J.; Mr. Justice Gray, Mr. Justice Crease, Hon. Robert Dunsmuir, Hon. John Robson, Hon. Charles E. Pooley, Hon. F. G. Vernon, Lieut.-Col. Holmes, R. C. A.; Commander Clarke, R. N.; Major Peters, R. C. A.; Dr. Bookie, R. N.; Dr. Matthews, B. C. G. A.; Dr. Duncan, R. C. A.; Capt. Benson, Capt. Palmer, Capt. Nicholles, Lieut. Gaudet and Mr. Herbert Stanton.

The Banner Weekly.

THE WEEKLY COLONIST, issued this morning, contains a most attractive *resume* of all the news of the week, both local and foreign; live articles on topics of the day, and a choice selection of miscellaneous matter. The number, in addition to the usual epitome of current events, contains an accurate report of the opening of its legislature, and much valuable mining news. Read THE WEEKLY COLONIST. It will help you to keep abreast of the times. Send copies to your absent friends and let them hear of the progress of the province. Price $2 per year; single copies 10 cents. For sale at all bookstores, or at the office of publication.

Golden Wedding.

On Tuesday evening, at Westminster, the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ferris was celebrated in the R. E. Church. The sacred edifice was crowded with the friends of the respected couple. After singing and praying, Rev. C. Haddon read them an address expressing appreciation of their worth as members of St. Paul's Church, and the hope that they might still enjoy many years of happy wedded life. A gold headed cane was presented to Mr. Ferris and a gold bracelet to Mrs. Ferris. Mr. Ferris replied as well as he could while struggling with the feelings of the moment, thanking the donors sincerely. Rev. Mr. Haddon then made a few remarks, Miss Chattell sang, "Don't Forget the Old Folks," and an adjournment was made to Mr. Ferris's residence, where he entertained a large number of his friends.

PERSONAL.

Robert Todd, of the *Courier*, is in the city.

E. F. Martin, of Bakerville, is at the Oriental.

Wm. M. Brison, of San Francisco, is at the Driard.

C. W. Jones, of Puyallup, is registered at the Clarence.

W. J. Goepel returned from Vancouver by last evening's steamer.

J. Holland and Dan Ross returned from the mainland last evening.

E. M. Van Duzen and wife, of St. Paul, Minn., are at the Driard.

John Hendry, mayor of Westminster, and Mrs. Hendry are at the Driard.

Alexander Urquhart, of Comox, is spending a few days in Victoria.

Jas. A. and Mrs. Fullerton were passengers by the Islander last evening.

Jas. A. Fullerton and Mrs. Fullerton arrived from Vancouver last night.

Mrs. J. Piercey and Miss Mesher returned from Vancouver on the Islander.

C. L. Kimball, of Alpena, Mich., was a passenger over by the Islander last night and is at the Clarence.

Capt. Tom Harmon, of the Black Diamond City, came down by train yesterday.

Mayor Hendry and Mrs. Hendry, of Westminster, arrived down on the Islander last night, and are at the Driard.

VICTORIA DISTRICT.

TO THE EDITOR:—My attention has been called to an article in the weekly *Times* of the 25th of January inst., over the signature of Cedar Hill, wherein he hopes our farms will not be boomed, and that becoming suddenly rich will be most disastrous to the "simple farmer." Now, Mr. Editor, that is a most contemptible sneer on the industrious and intelligent residents of Victoria District, many of whom find farming more healthful and enjoyable than the office, manufactory or mine, they had previously been accustomed to, while others, being practical farmers, delight in their noble occupation, and they are doing more for the real benefit and development of the country than any number of scribblers who write such articles by the yard for the price of a dinner, for evidently he is not one of the "simple farmers" he is pretending to condole with. I maintain that as a class the farmers of this district are not by any means simple; they may have been improvident, as most have been on the Pacific coast in early times, and spent their money too freely, many of them having handled more money than the so-called "Cedar Hill" is probably aware of. He then informs us that our taxes have been raised. But we were quite aware of that, and, with others, regret that it has been found necessary; but can he enlighten the public as to how the money is to be derived to meet the increasing expenditure on roads and schools without increasing taxation. Old roads have to be kept in repair and new ones are demanded in many parts of the district to aid the settlement, which is going steadily on. As to members being under obligations to the government, that is too thin to have any weight with sensible men. I am accused of favoring the settlement of the waste land of the country. I admit I would like to see the wilderness, "especially of this island," subdued by steady, industrious settlers, and brought under cultivation, as it would add wealth to our Province and support many thousands of persons. And Victoria would soon contain 30,000 people or more by the impetus given to its trade. As it seems to me her trade and population are increasing at a rapid rate since the completion of the E. & N. railway and the development of the Comox mines. The land in its vicinity has been increased in value by furnishing easy access to the markets of both Victoria and Nanaimo. Many people have taken advantage of the fact and settled along the line, and I hope shortly to see the steel track carried on still further and connected with another transcontinental railway, but that is one of my hobbies. And may I hope that the Saanich railway and ferry will soon be commenced and completed, and that the company will accommodate the people through the district with stations at short intervals, as this district is in fact but a suburb of the city. And lastly, I am reminded of introducing the bonded warehouse bill to attract Asiatic commerce in the session of '87. You will pardon me, but it would prolong this reply to go into explanation now. I am already occupying too much of your valuable space.

GEO. W. ANDERSON, M. P. P.

To Captains and Ship Owners.

Just arrived another lot of the celebrated Windsor ship stoves. Call and examine them at GEO. PHILLIPS, 152 Government street. 1*m.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

(Continued from Page One.)

The speaker announced that two vacancies had occurred, since prorogation, by the resignations of Robt. F. John of the electoral district of Victoria, and Robert McLeese of the electoral district of Cariboo. Elections had been held to fill these vacancies, and resulted in the return of Mr. James Tolmie for the former district, and Mr. I B. Nason for the latter.

INTRODUCING THE NEW MEMBERS.

Mr. I. B. Nason, the newly elected member for Cariboo, was then formally introduced to the speaker by the Attorney-General, Hon. A. E. B. Davie, and Mr. Jos. Mason, the senior member for Cariboo; and Mr. James Tolmie, the new member for Victoria district, was presented by the provincial treasurer Hon. J. H. Turner, and Mr. Simeon Duck.

MOTIONS.

On motion all documents relating to the election of the two new members were ordered to be entered on the journals of the House.

Moved by the honorable the Provincial Secretary; seconded by the honorable President of the Executive Council, that all motions, votes and proceedings of the House be printed only by order of the Speaker of the House. Carried.

Moved by the honorable the Provincial Secretary, seconded by the honorable the President of the Executive Council, that the usual standing committees (enumerated) be appointed. Carried.

On motion of the honorable the Provincial Secretary; seconded by the honorable the Provincial Treasurer, it was resolved that the House proceed to deal with the utmost severity with any one who may be shown to have secured election to the Legislature by corruption or bribery.

Moved by the honorable the Provincial Secretary; seconded by the honorable the Attorney-General, that the speech of His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor, be taken into consideration on Tuesday next, the 5th proximo.

Mr. Beaven rose, first to congratulate the Attorney-General on the fact that he was sufficiently recovered from his late sickness to be found in his seat again. (Applause.) He (Mr. Beaven) did not consider so long an adjournment necessary, but thought that the House could proceed to business just as well on Friday as on Tuesday next. It had, he said, been the wish of the House, that the legislature should not meet later than the third week of January. Now the House is meeting toward the close of the month. He thought that the least possible delay should be allowed in proceeding to the work of the session. He asked the mover of the motion to amend it accordingly.

Mr. Bole remarked that the adjournment was generally taken to allow the opposition time to decide on their policy in regard to the items mentioned in the Speech from the Throne. He could see nothing, however, in the speech this year that would require much consideration. The only matter of moment, was in regard to the establishment of a reformatory.

The Speaker was forced to call Mr. Bole to order. The speech was not yet under discussion.

Mr. Bole asked that the adjournment be not as long as the motion provided.

The motion was then put and carried. The Hon. Attorney-General, who on rising was received with an outburst of hearty applause, thanked the leader of the opposition for the reference made to his (the Attorney-General's) appearance in the House, and asked leave to introduce a bill entitled an "Act for the Consolidation of the Statutes."

Leave was granted, and the bill read a first time and placed on the orders of the day to be read a second time on Tuesday next.

The Speaker announced to the House that the new law courts would be formally opened on Friday, the members of the Legislature being invited to attend. The law courts would be illuminated and opened for the inspection of the public on Friday evening.

Hon. Mr. Robson moved that the House at its rising stand adjourned until Tuesday next at 2 p. m. Carried.

Hon. Mr. Robson moved that the House do now adjourn. Carried.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Mr. Higgins—On Tuesday next, to ask leave to introduce a bill to amend the "Ballot Act of 1887."

Mr. Higgins—On Tuesday next, to ask leave to introduce a bill to amend "An Act to prevent the indiscriminate sale of poisons."

Mr. Higgins—On Tuesday next, to ask leave to introduce a bill to amend the "Municipalities Act of 1881," and amending acts.

Mr. Higgins—On Tuesday next, asking leave to introduce a bill relating to the offence of libel in civil cases.

Mr. Higgins—On Tuesday next, to move the following resolution: "That an order of the House be granted for the return of all papers and correspondence between the Government and all persons or bodies corporate, relative to the location of a smelting works at the city of Vancouver.

Mr. Higgins—On Tuesday next, to ask leave to introduce a bill to amend "An Act respecting the public schools."

Mr. Davie—On Tuesday next, to ask leave to introduce an act to amend the "Civil Procedure Act."

Mr. Beaven—On Tuesday next, to ask leave to introduce an act to amend and consolidate the statutes relating to municipalities and to incorporate therewith sections 6, 7, 8 and 9 of an act to amend "The Public Parks Act of 1876," an act relating to ferries in municipalities; sections 1, 2, 3 and 4 of the "Ferries in Municipalities Amendment Act of 1885;" sections 12 and 13 and schedule of the "Coroner's Act of 1885," and an act respecting the expenses of Coroner's inquests held in municipalities 1887.

Mr. Duck—On Tuesday next to move that an order of the House be granted for a return, showing the amount at which personal property is assessed in the Province, and the amount of taxes received under this heading in the different municipalities between the 30th of June, 1887, and the 31st of December, 1888; also, the names of all persons assessed in income, the amount at which each such person is assessed in each of the several electoral districts, designating the names of all persons assessed in each municipality which forms only a part of any such electoral district.

Mr. Duck—On Tuesday next, to ask leave to introduce a bill entitled "An Act to amend 51 Vic., chap. 24, entitled An Act to amend the Municipality Act, 1881, and amending Acts."

Mr. Humphreys—On Thursday next, to move that a select committee be appointed to inquire into the methods of admitting boys into the High School, city of Victoria, and to inquire generally into the system of examinations and working efficiency.

Mr. Humphreys—On Thursday next, to move that an order of the House be granted for a return of all correspondence relating to the alleged charge of theft preferred against Walter Brantley, acting government agent at Comox.

Mr. Bole—On Tuesday next, to ask leave to introduce an Act to repeal the "Small Debts Act, 1886."

Mr. Davie—On Tuesday next, to ask the Hon. Chief Commissioner, is it the intention of the Government to make provision in the estimates of this session, for replacing the present legislative hall with a commodious and suitable building?

KOOTENAY NOTES.

Progress of the Quartz Industry—Coal Oil Springs Discovered—The Weather Mild.

Colonel Baker, M.P.P., states the mining industry in both East and West Kootenay is developing with rapid strides. In the latter valley the Toad Mountain camp is attracting the attention of capitalists, and there is every reason to believe that next summer a considerable amount of capital will be available for developing the mines. Notices are out for charters for railways, and one at all events is likely to be proceeded with as soon as a charter is obtained.

In the eastern valley or Upper Kootenay large bodies of ore have been discovered in the Spillamacheen district, some of it assaying high. The ore is argentiferous galena and grey copper.

A large bed of grey copper has also been discovered at Windermere, but as yet it has not been opened up. Another immense body of argentiferous galena has been discovered up the celebrated Wild Horse Creek. Another up Toby Creek, which falls into the Upper Columbia river—in fact new leads are being discovered in all directions, proving the district to be enormously rich in minerals, and there is little doubt that a large mining population will be located there in the near future.

Coal oil springs have been recently discovered in the Crows Nest Pass not far from the large coal fields taken up by the Crows Nest Coal Company.

The winter has been unusually mild, the thermometer registering only 1.90 below zero for one night. The snow does not exceed nine inches, and cattle are looking well and do not require feeding.

CITY POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. N. Richards, P. M.)

W. Bittancourt, remanded on a charge of vagrancy, was told to go, and look to his conduct in the future.

Two drunks, the one a white man, the other red, pleaded guilty and were quickly disposed of, the former paying the usual $5, and the latter "going down" for one month.

The charge of chicken stealing against the adopted son of a well-known fancier was dismissed, the question of ownership not having been made sufficiently clear to enable his honor to decide that the accused had not been "stealing" his own fowl.

Two other cases, the one of fast driving over James Bay bridge, and the other a simple assault, in which two Indians were concerned, remain to be disposed of today.

VERNON NOTES.

[Correspondence of THE COLONIST].

The Xmas season passed away very pleasantly and quietly. Mr. and Mrs. Dewdney had a beautiful and well loaded Christmas tree for the young people of the town, who duly appreciated the wealth of presents taken from its boughs.

There were several private parties, but the annual ball at the Victoria Hotel was not held on account of the ill health of one of the proprietors.

Capt. Shorts is now busily engaged working up a canal scheme, having for its object the connecting of the waters of the Spallumcheen River with the Okanagon Lake. He is meeting with great success, and has been promised a free right of way the entire length, and in the near future expects to have a flotilla plying. Great success to your enterprise, Captain, and may you soon be "operating" it.

Messrs. Coryell and Murray, surveyors, are sojourning here, but intend soon to start for their stock ranch on Kettle River.

Dr. Sanson, late of the C. P. R., is now located here, filling a long felt want.

The winter so far has been most favorable for stock, very little snow and frost.

Farmers are using the sleighing well to do their teaming, and grain is pouring into Enderby at the rate of fifty to seventy tons per day.

Vernon, Jan. 28.

PATON'S Alloa yarn, at the WESTSIDE. *

Largest assortment of Wedding Stationery at THE COLONIST office. *

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MR. A. V. BOSSI HAS REMOVED HIS Grocery business from the corner of View and Quadra streets to the corner of Johnson and Quadra streets. jan15-1m

Notice of Removal!

WM. CRAFT

HAS REMOVED HIS STOCK OF STAPLE and Fancy Dry Goods to the new "C. & N." Block, 93 Douglas street, next Johnson street. jan11-1mo

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50 Boys' Suits for $2.65 each, were double that price.
Men's Leather Mitts, 50c.....were 75c.
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